


IN THE CLAIMS:

1.(Amended) An airbag cushion comprising a fabric exhibiting an outer surface and an inner surface in relation to said cushion, wherein a film is laminated to at least one of said outer surface and said inner surface of said fabric; and wherein said airbag cushion exhibits a characteristic leak-down time after inflation of at least 5 seconds; and wherein said inflatable fabric comprises at least two layers of fabric in certain discrete areas of the fabric and at least one narrow single fabric layer at a discrete area within said fabric, wherein said at least one narrow single fabric layer is formed solely from a basket weave pattern of an even number of yarns, at most 12 yarns in width.


13.(Amended) The airbag cushion of Claim 11, wherein said polyamide yarns are multifilament yarns exhibiting a linear density of about 210-840 denier.

14.(Amended) The airbag cushion of Claim 13, wherein said multifilament yarns exhibit a filament linear density of about 4 denier per filament or less.

17.(Amended) An airbag cushion comprising a fabric exhibiting an outer surface and an inner surface in relation to said cushion, wherein a film is laminated to at least one of said outer surface and said inner surface of said fabric; and wherein said airbag cushion exhibits a characteristic leak-down time after inflation of at least 5 seconds; and wherein said inflatable fabric comprises at least two layers of fabric in certain discrete areas of the fabric and at least one single fabric layer at a discrete area within said fabric, wherein the weave diagram for such an


 inflatable fabric does not exhibit more than three consecutive unfilled blocks in any row or column.

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 22.(Amended) The airbag cushion of Claim 21, wherein said polyamide yarns are multifilament yarns exhibiting a linear density of about 210-630 denier.

23.(Amended) The airbag cushion of Claim 22, wherein said multifilament yarns exhibit a filament linear density of about 4 denier per filament or less.

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 26.(Amended) An airbag cushion comprising a fabric exhibiting an outer surface and an inner surface in relation to said cushion, wherein a film is laminated to at least one of said outer surface and said inner surface of said fabric; and wherein said airbag cushion exhibits a characteristic leak-down time after inflation of at least 5 seconds; and wherein said inflatable fabric comprises at least two layers of fabric in certain discrete areas of the fabric and at least one single fabric layer at a discrete area within said fabric, wherein only two separate weave densities are present within the area directly adjacent to said single fabric layer.

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 31.(Amended) The airbag cushion of Claim 30, wherein said polyamide yarns are multifilament yarns exhibiting a linear density of about 210-630 denier.

32.(Amended) The airbag cushion of Claim 31, wherein said multifilament yarns exhibit a filament linear density of about 4 denier per filament or less.

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